

DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY
CONTINUATION-IN-PART APPLICATION

We, GEORGE W. MULLER and MARY SHIRE hereby declare that:

All statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statement were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

George W. Muller is a citizen of the United States and a resident of Bridgewater, New Jersey. Mary Shire is a citizen of Ireland and a resident of North Plainfield, New Jersey.

We verily believe we are the original, first and joint inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled NOVEL IMMUNOTHERAPEUTIC AGENTS, which is described and claimed in the specification of Serial No. 08/909,201 filed August 11, 1997.

Thos application in part discloses and claims subject matter disclosed in co-pending application, Serial No. 08/695,599 filed August 12, 1996.

As to such common subject matter, we do not know and do not believe that the invention was ever patented or described in any printed publication in any country before our invention thereof or more than one year prior to August 12, 1996; or was in public use or on sale in the United States of America more than one year prior to August 12, 1996; the invention has not been patented or made the subject of an inventor's certificate issued before August 12, 1996 in any country foreign to the United States of America on an application filed by us or our legal representatives or assigns more than twelve months prior to August 12, 1996; and no application for patent or inventor's certificate on the invention has been filed by us, our legal representatives or assigns in any country foreign to the United States of America prior to August 12, 1996.

As to subject matter which is not common, we do not know and do not believe that the invention was ever patented or described in any printed publication in any country before our invention thereof or more than one year prior to this application, or was in public use or on sale in the United States of America more than one year prior to this application; the invention has not been patented or made the subject of an inventor's certificate issued before the date of this application in any country foreign to the United States of America on an application filed by us or our legal representatives or assigns more than twelve months prior to this application; and no application for patent or inventor's certificate on the invention has been filed by us, our legal representatives or assigns in any country foreign to the United States of America prior to this application.

We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification and claims. We acknowledge our duty to disclose information of which we are aware which is material to the examination of this application.

Power of Attorney: We hereby appoint the following attorneys to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith: Bruce M. Collins, Reg. No. 20,066, Ronald Gould, Reg. No. 28,299, Glen E. Books, Reg. No. 24,950, Diane Dunn McKay, Reg. No. 34,586, Scott N. Bernstein, Reg. No. 38,827, Anastasia P. Winslow, Reg. No. 40,875, and Paul A. Schwarz, Reg. No. 37,577 all of the firm of Mathews, Collins, Shepherd & Gould, P.A.

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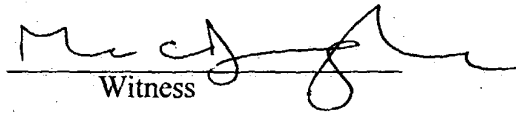
WHEREAS, MARY SHIRE and (hereinafter jointly referred to as ASSIGNOR), have invented and own a certain invention entitled "NOVEL IMMUNOTHERAPEUTIC AGENTS" for which application Serial No. 09/271,683 was filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on March 18, 1999; and


WHEREAS, CELGENE CORPORATION, existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, and having a mailing address of 7 Powder Horn Drive, Warren, New Jersey 07059 (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in and to the invention described and claimed in said application, and any United States Letters Patent to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be it known that in consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNOR of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration, ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns, and transfers to ASSIGNEE the exclusive right, title and interest to the said invention and all Letters Patent of the United States to be obtained therefor on said application, and any continuation, division, renewal, substitute, or reissue thereof, for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted, and all applications and patents corresponding thereto in all countries of the world, including all rights of priority.

ASSIGNOR further covenants that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said application, said invention and said Letters Patent as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNOR and will testify as to the same in any interference or litigation related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representative any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, and enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name on the 21 day of May,
1999.


Witness


Mary Shire

ASSIGNMENT

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name on the 16 day of April,
1999.

Marian Jensen
Witness

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